

PENNSYLVANIA LESBIAN/GAY SUPPORT NETWORK

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NEWSLETTER

Next Meeting: Saturday 10 January
1 PM, at the FRIENDS MEETING HOUSE
6th & Herr Sts., Harrisburg

LAST MEETING

It was moved and passed to adopt a three month plan of political action that would involve 1) fundraising, 2) soliciting attorneys, 3) alliance building, 4) building legislative analysis files 5) creating legislative contacts on Capitol Hill 6) the special State Senatorial election in Erie and 7) training. At our January meeting the above seven points will be developed and elaborated upon. We will also discuss further legislation and current key legislators. We hope everyone could bring at least five names of friends that would be interested in the Network. We need to begin the expansion of our membership with our ambitious undertaking.

WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE

There will be a White House Conference on Aging in 1981. Anyone concerned should contact their Area Agency on Aging for an application as a delegate. Deadline is 12 January.

LAW FOR LESBIAN/GAY RIGHTS CONFERENCE

This conference is scheduled for 13-15 March. Anyone interested should contact Gay Law Students/National Lawyers Guild Univ. of Pittsburgh Scholl of Law, Forbes & Bouquet Streets, Pittsburgh 15260.

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The Newsletter is currently being produced by the Co-Directors. It was felt that this is a key to our organization and communications, hence too important and time consuming for the Directors. Steve, Gary and TJ have volunteered to act as a Committee to produce future Newsletters. They will be looking for anymore assistance that members can volunteer and look forward to upgrading and producing an exciting informative monthly Newsletter.

DUES

The current dues of \$5 annually was discussed and it was decided that this was not sufficient for the operation of the Network. Once a budget is developed a new dues structure will be proposed.

CHECKING ACCOUNT

It was decided that the current checking account should remain in Harrisburg unless it presents an imposition to the Treasurer in Pittsburgh then the account could be transferred. It was moved and passed that a dual signature system be instituted. It was also moved and passed that the Pride '80 Account be closed and funds transferred to the Network Account.

FUTURE MEETINGS

We have established 10 January and 14 February as our next two meetings. Steve Endean of the Gay Rights National Lobby has also been contacted and shows interest in attending one of these meetings. Unfortunately nothing has been finalized as of this printing.

1980 Fiscal Report

<u>Income</u>	
Balance as of 31 Dec. '79	\$ 161.37
Pride '80	102.24
Donations	344.00
Newsletter Subscriptions	130.00
Pat Bond Fundraiser	2741.52
	<u>\$3479.13</u>
<u>Expense</u>	
Checking Account Service Charge	\$ 39.00
Newsletter Printing	225.52
Typesetting	180.00
Postage	165.00
Pride '79 Debt	226.00
PO Box Rent	40.00
Pride '80 Contribution	350.00
Pat Bond	2113.05
	<u>\$3338.57</u>
Balance	\$140.56